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Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
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Enclosed are:

1. Application Data Sheet.
2. Specification, including 13 claims (7 pages).
3. 1 Sheet of Formal Drawings showing Fig. 1.
4. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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